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CAPTAIN BRITAIN

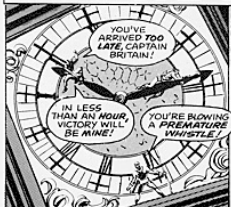
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WHEN STUDENT-PHYSICIST BRIAN BRADDOCK RUBS HIS MYSTIC AMULET, HE TRANSFORMS INTO BRITAIN'S SUPER-HEROIC CHAMPION OF JUSTICE...

Stan Lee
PRESENTS:

CAPTAIN BRITAIN!



WHILE CAPTAIN BRITAIN, LANCE HUNTER, AND THE RED SKULL DANGLE DANGEROUSLY FROM BIG BEN, THE FATE OF ALL LONDON HANGS IN THE BALANCE AS THE CLOCK'S HANDS MOVE EVER CLOSER TO THE HOUR OF DOOM IN THIS GHOSTLY GAME OF...

HICKORY, DICKORY ...DEATH!



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DON'T CHALLENGE HIM! THE BOX HE'S HOLDING MIGHT BE A **DETONATOR SWITCH!**

NO! IT'S A MINIATURE TELEPORTATION DEVICE! I'VE SEEN HIM USE IT!

OKAY, THEN JUST TRY TO **HOLD HIM OFF--**
UNTIL I CAN **DEFUSE THIS BLASTED BOMB!**

I'LL GIVE IT MY
BEST SHOT!

"LAST ISH!"--LARRY

FOOLS! DO YOU THINK THE RED SKULL WOULD DEVISE A MECHANISM SIMPLE ENOUGH FOR THE LIKES OF YOU TO COMPREHEND?

THAT'S
RIGHT, CREEP--
KEEP TALKING!
A LITTLE
CLOSER AND
I'LL HAVE
YOU!

DON'T **UNDERRATE**
ME, SKULL. I HAPPEN
TO BE AN **EXPERT**
ON **MUNITIONS!**

THE BOMB
HASN'T BEEN
MADE THAT I
CAN'T **PULL**
THE **PIN ON!**

JUST A
BIT
MORE--

GOT YOU!

Nooooo!

TELL THE COLONEL HOW
TO DEFUSE THE **BOMB--**
NOW!!

MY **TELE-
PORTER!**
I CAN'T
ESCAPE!

TALK!

**NO! I WON'T--NOT WITH
VICTORY SO CLOSE AT HAND!**

ARE YOU SURE? I'M DEVELOPING
A **TERRIBLE ARM CRAMP!**

THEN GO AHEAD--**DROP ME!**
SEND ME TO MY **DEATH!**

BUT IF YOU **DO,**
YOU'LL **ALSO DIE--**
WHEN THE BOMB
EXPLODES!

BUT WHILE THE RED SKULL
AND THE GATE OF A CITY
DANGLE PRECARIOUSLY
FROM BIG BEN...



...A BATTLE ABOVE THE NAZIS'
DOCKLAND HEADQUARTERS NEARS
ITS BRUTAL CONCLUSION--

--AS A WEARY S.T.R.I.K.E. AIRBORNE SQUADRON
STRUGGLES TO DEFEAT THE BATTERED TROOPS
OF THE FOURTH REICH!

WHILE BELOW, A STUNNED
CAPTAIN AMERICA GRIEVES
OVER THE SILENT FORM OF
HIS FALLEN FRIEND AND COM-
MANDER--

NICK FURY--DEAD!
AND I CAUSED IT!

IF ONLY I
COULD'VE CON-
TACTED HIM TO
TELL HIM I WAS
STILL ALIVE!



"WOULD'JA BELIEVE LAST
ISH AGAIN?" --LARRY.

HE THOUGHT I'D BEEN
KILLED! THEN WHEN HE
SPOOLED IN HERE AND
SAW ME--

--IT
DISTRACTED
HIM--LONG
ENOUGH FOR
THE SKULL TO
BLAST
HIM!



KERIPES!
I WASN'T
SEEN!
THINGS! IT'S
CAP!



AARRHHH!

WHAT
THE--?!

WATCH
IT!!

FURY! IF YOU
WEREN'T SO
UGLY--I'D
KISS YOU! I
THOUGHT YOU
WERE A
GONER!

I COULD
SAY THE
SAME FOR
YOU, YA STAR-
SPANGLED
SHOW-OFF!

I WAS WEARIN'
O-BRANCH'S LATEST
LIFE-SAVER VEST!
WHAT'S YOUR
EXCUSE?



BUT TALK
FAST, 'CAUSE
WE STILL
GOT A WAR
TO WIN!

TEN-ROGER! WHEN CAPTAIN
BRITAIN AND I SAW THOSE
PLANES FIRING ROCKETS
AT US--

--I FIGURED IT
WAS TIME FOR
THAT BIG JACK-
POT IN THE
SKY!



"IT HAPPENED WAY BACK
IN ISH #18! --LARRY.









Tell it to The CAPTAIN!



BRING ON THE WOMEN!

Dear Stan,

I think Captain Britain is great. The FF are good as well, in their size of frames. I hope Captain Britain meets some Avengers or other American dream-ups. I do have a couple of moans, though. Why isn't the FF in colour? I think they deserve to be in colour more than Nick Fury. Secondly, why is C.B. referred to as Britain's only Super-hero? Who are The Black Knight and Union Jack?

Now for something else. What are you making for an origins book next? May I suggest 'Daughter of Origins'! Featuring Medusa, The Wasp, The Scarlet Witch, Moondragon, Tigra, Mantis, Hellcat, The Black Widow, The Red Guardian, The Defenders Valkyrie, etc. And after that 'Bring on the Bad Women' with Mankiller, Ruby, Princess Python, Lady Lark, The Enchantress and so on.

Brian Ellis, RFO, KOF, QNS,
203 Humber Way, Langley,
Slough.

We've said it before in these columns, and we'll say it again. Captain Britain's diary is already being filled in with dates for him to meet some fellow Marvel Super-heroes from across the pond. But thanks for the suggestion in your last paragraph. Something of the kind is almost certain to come about just as soon as Smiles finds some time between jetting 'twixt New York and Britain.

LET'S TALK MARVEL

Dear Stan,

I would like to know when Doctor Doom, who is my favourite bad guy, will be making his re-appearance in Marvel. I notice he has had a long absence from the Marvel scene. My one and only query I have about the Marvel comic is Daredevil. Now don't jump to any conclusions, Stan, but I have noticed that his stories have gone down a bit. The villains he fights are not such super-villains as before. His stories would get much better if he fought someone we really knew was a bad guy, like The Mandarin, or The Vulture.

The next thing I want to talk about is Luke Cage. I think he is great and I liked the way you did his origin. I have just read this week's Marvel mag over my breakfast, and Luke Cage's story was exceptionally good. Please give my regards to the writer, Archie Goodwin.

I must congratulate you on the first of Britain's super-heroes, Captain Britain's comic. I have got every issue so far and I intend to keep on getting it. My favourite villain he has so far fought is The Hurricane. I like the way he fiendishly tried to kill Cap Britain by putting him at the mouth of the engines on the Concorde, so when the engine was switched on the intake would brake the irons and suck him into the engine.

Andrew Ramsdale,
6 Sunningdale Rd., Hesse,
N. Humberdale.

Doc Doom will soon be back, as evil as ever. Just hide your time, Andy. But let's move to your next point, which could be described as the core of your letter. The Daredevil bit. We've taken a careful look through the recent Daredevils and think that what could have happened is that Daredevil has been through, for want of a better description, a 'non-Andrew-Ramsdale' phase. By that we mean that all of our super-heroes have careers which move about, explode different angles and attitudes for a while, have different writers at work on them, and so on. But DD will be moving on to his next phase soon. We just hope that the next turn in his saga will be more you.

THE TWO MATTS

Dear People,

We decided to answer a letter published in C.B. 12 from a certain Messrs. Dakin and Way.

In respect to certain comments directed at Marie Severin's ability to colour the frames of this very fine comic, we must point out that to colour a comic is extremely difficult and not one of the most exciting of occupations. As artists ourselves we appreciate the difficulties involved in colouring a cover, let alone 36 frames of issue 4, which all has to be completed against a dead-line. On the point of skylines changing from frame to frame, the reader would find it boring if the colour was blue all the time. To finish off our comment on Marie Severin, give Dakin and Way a drawn sheet, give them a dead-line, give them the responsibilities of being a colourist/artist, then give them time to argue.

Now, about the drinking. People DO go into public houses. That is realism for you.

It has been mentioned that there is a very small amount of Captain Britain. It looks to us that the printers can only do SOME colour pages in a comic without putting up the price and lowering their sales. Hence the smallish Captain Britain feature.

On the whole we would say this is the best British weekly out. It's colourful, it's fairly well drawn, and, ultimately, IT'S BRITISH!

Matt Taylor and Matt Parker.

Say what you like about Glenn Dakin and Steve Way, but you've gotta say that they sure stirred it up! We feel we owe it to them and to Marvelcom to state that we've been hearing from them on a weekly basis. It wouldn't be fair to other Marvelites to publish all their letters, and this, we would think, they appreciate. But here's something that may surprise all of you (and them!). Tricky and difficult they may be, but we can't help liking 'em.

CAPTAIN BRITAIN MAILBAG
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SEVENOAKS, KENT



PICK A PAIR OF **WINNERS**

FROM MIGHTY **MARVEL!**

**"INTRUDER
IN THE MIND"**
PERHAPS THE
STRANGEST
HULK STORY
---EVER!
DON'T MISS IT!

SEE SPIDEY AND
DOC. OCTOPUS
BATTLE
SIDE BY
SIDE
-AGAINST
THE MENACE
OF HAMMER-
HEAD!

**ON
SALE
NOW!**



Stan Lee PRESENTS: **THE FANTASTIC FOUR!**™

THE FABULOUS **F.F.**, AND ALL OF MANKIND, MUST FINALLY FACE EARTH'S DEADLIEST THREAT!

GALACTUS UNLEASHED

GARGANTUAN GALACTUS, DESTROYER OF WORLDS, HAS RETURNED TO THE SOLAR SYSTEM ONCE AGAIN, AND LANDED UPON THE PROUD BUT PAIN-WRACKED PLANET EARTH! AND NOW, PREPARE FOR WONDERMENT SUCH AS YOU HAVE NEVER KNOWN!

I HAVE COME FROM THE FARTHEST REACHES OF SPACE--TO PROCLAIM THE DOOM OF THE HUMAN RACE!

WE THOUGHT OUR TROUBLES WUZ OVER-- BUT THEY'RE JUST BEGINNIN'!

BUT WHERE-
EVER HE
APPEARS--
A PLANET
DIES!

IT'S
GALACTUS!
HE'S COME
BACK!

HAIR
STYLING

BOO-BOO

OTE
OR

WOOLWORTH

RY
GIFTS 635

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GALACTUS--LISTEN!
WHEN LAST WE MET,
YOU GAVE YOUR
WORD--

YOU VOWED
NEVER TO
MENACE US
AGAIN! *

YOU--WITH YOUR
MONUMENTAL PRIDE--
YOUR EPIC SENSE OF
GRANDEUR--WILL YOU
NOW BETRAY A
PROMISE?

*A GILT-EDGED NO-PRIZE IF YOU CAN
REMEMBER IN WHICH THIS HAPPENED!
WE'D TELL YOU OURSELVES, BUT WE FORGOT!
--SHAME-FACED STAN.



THE WORD OF GALACTUS
IS THE SPOKEN TRUTH--
AS LASTING AS TIME
ITSELF!

IN MY INFINITE
MERCY, I
OFFER YOU A
CHANCE TO
SAVE THIS
PUNY
WORLD!

THE LIVES
OF MEN ARE
MEANING-
LESS TO
ME--



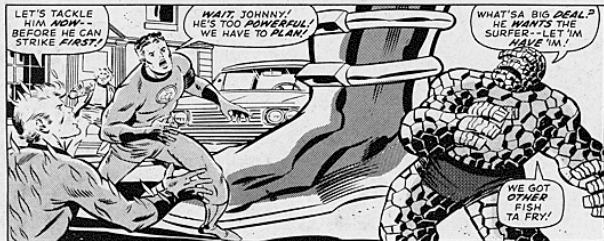
--I WILL TRADE THEM ALL--IN RETURN FOR THE SILVER SURFER!

THEN THAT IS WHY
YOU CAME TO EARTH!

I AM YOUR
TARGET--AND
YOUR PRIZE!

MY
HERALD
YOU WERE--
MY
HERALD
YOU SHALL
BE AGAIN!

SUCH IS
THE WILL
OF
GALACTUS!



LET'S TACKLE
HIM NOW--
BEFORE HE CAN
STRIKE FIRST!

WAIT, JOHNNY!
HE'S TOO POWERFUL!
WE HAVE TO PLAN!

WHAT'S A BIG DEAL?
HE WANTS THE
SURFER--LET 'IM
HAVE 'IM!

WE GOT
OTHER
FISH
TA FRY!

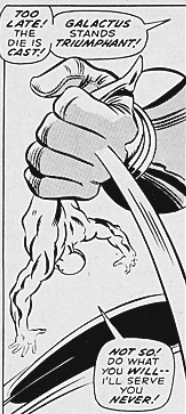


TOO LATE!
THE
DIE IS
CAST!

GALACTUS
STANDS
TRIUMPHANT!

HAH! THE
HERALD
NEEDS HIS
MASTER!

SURFER--
NO!
TURN
BACK!



NOT SO!
DO WHAT
YOU WILL--
I'LL SERVE
YOU
NEVER!

THOUGH YOU HAVE EXILED ME
TO EARTH--THOUGH THE FREEDOM
OF THE COSMOS IS DENIED ME--

HERE WILL I
STAY, LIKE AN
EAGLE CAGED--
THOUGH
MADNESS AND
HATRED ENGULF
ME!

HERE WILL I
LIVE! HERE
WILL I DIE!
CALL ME AN
EXILE--BUT
NEVER A SLAVE!



IF SUCH IS YOUR CHOICE, THEN A WORLD
SHALL DIE WITH YOU!

THAT
SINKS
IT!

WHAT D'YA THINK
WE'LL BE DOIN'
WHILE YER TRYIN'
TA PUT THE
KIBOSH ON US?

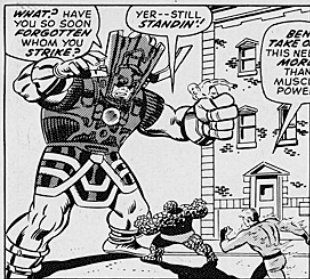
WELL,
YA WON'T
HAVE TA
WONDER
NO
LONGER!

BEN!
HOLD
IT!



HOLD IT
MY FOOT!
IN CASE
NO ONE
TOLD
YA--

IT'S
CLOBBERIN'
TIME!



YER--STILL
STANDIN'!

BEN!
TAKE OFF!
THIS NEEDS
MORE
THAN
MUSCLE
POWER!



FLAME
ON!



MAKE A BREAK FOR IT,
WHITEY! I'LL DISTRACT
HIM!

SUNHH!

TORCH--
GO BACK!
THIS IS
NOT THE
WAY!

FOOLHARDY
HUMANS!
WILL YOU
NEVER
LEARN?



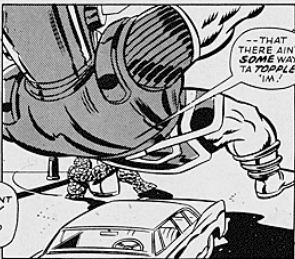
LISTEN TO HIM,
JOHNNY! WE'VE GOT
TO WORK AS A
TEAM!

TEAM,
SHMEAM!
I'LL
SHOW
YA HOW--



SO IT'S GONNA TAKE
MORE THAN MUSCLE
POWER, HUH?

WELL,
THERE AINT
NOBODY
SO
BLASTED
BIG--



--THAT
THERE AINT
SOME WAY
TA TORPE
'IM!





I TRIED
TO WARN
THEM--

NEVER
MIND THE
"I TOLD
YOU
SO'S"!!



STRETCH,
BLAST YA--
WHY DON'TCHA
STRETCH?

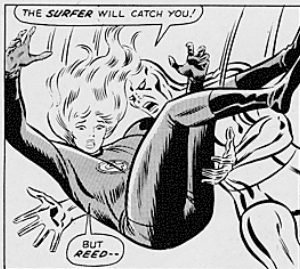
HE CAN'T,
BEN! THE
IMPACT
KNOCKED
HIM OUT!

WE'VE
GOT TO
CATCH
THEM!



MY FORCE FIELD!
I'LL USE IT TO
SAVE REED.
EVEN THOUGH
IT MEANS I'LL--

NO!
JUST
RELAX!
GO
LIMP!



THE SURFER WILL CATCH YOU!

BUT
REED--



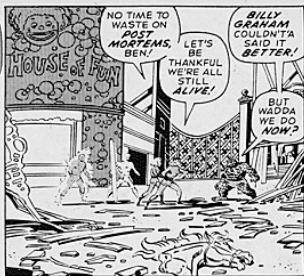
WOW,
BROTHER-IN-
LAW! YOU CAME
TO JUST IN
TIME!

HE IS
SAFE! THE
TORCH HAS
REACHED
HIM!



SO HOW
COME NO ONE
WORRIES
ABOUT ME?

WHAT
AM I?
A
MACERAL
OR
SOMETHIN'?





GALACTUS'S SHIP--
VIRTUALLY A WORLD
UNTO ITSELF!
SUPREMELY ARMED!
SUPREMELY
POWERED!

--WITH DEVICES
FEW HUMAN
BRAINS
COULD
BEGIN TO
FATHOM!



AND THERE IT
WAITS--HOVERING
ABOVE LIKE A
GHASTLY, GLEAMING
ENIGMA!



WITHIN ITS CAVERNOUS
HOLD, THE MYSTERIES
OF THE UNIVERSE--

AND, ONCE I
REACH IT--
IT SHALL BE
EARTH'S
SALVATION,
AS WELL!
FOR THEN--



ARRHHH!



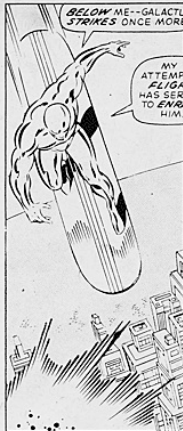
THE BARRIER!
AGAIN IT
HAS
DEFEATED
ME!

IN HIS WISDOM, GALACTUS
PLACED HIS SHIP BEYOND
THE POINT I CANNOT
BREACH!



SO NAUGHT REMAINS
BUT THE RETURN TO
EARTH--

--TO FACE
ITS FINAL
HOUR!



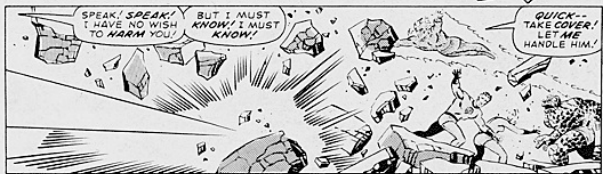
BELOW ME--GALACTUS STRIKES ONCE MORE!

MY ATTEMPTED FLIGHT HAS SERVED TO ENRAGE HIM!



MEDDLE SOME HUMANS! YOU SOUGHT TO DECEIVE ME!

WHERE HAVE YOU HIDDEN MY ONCE AND FORMER HERALD?



SPEAK! SPEAK! I HAVE NO WISH TO HARM YOU!

BUT I MUST KNOW! I MUST KNOW!

QUICK-- TAKE COVER! LET ME HANDLE HIM!



SO! YOU WOULD FORCE ME TO SLAY YOU?

NOT EXACTLY BIG MAN--



YOU'LL HAVE TO CATCH ME FIRST!

WITH LIGHTNING SPEED, AND WITH THE BLAZING CANTALOUPE AND FLASHING DEXTERITY THAT ONLY THE HUMAN TORCH CAN COMMAND, EACH SIZZLING FIRE-BALL ASSUMES THE SHAPE OF ITS FLAMING MASTER--

AS THEY WHIRL EVER FASTER AROUND THE RAGING GALACTUS--

ONLY ONE OF YOU IS THE REAL FIERY HUMAN!

BUT WHICH? WHICH ONE IS IT?

NO MATTER! TIME IS TOO PRECIOUS FOR ME TO TARRY ANY LONGER!

ONE BY ONE I'LL DECIMATE EACH FIGURE--

--TILL NAUGHT REMAINS BUT ASHES!

CAN'T KEEP IT UP MUCH LONGER!

SOONER OR LATER HE'LL--NO, WAIT!

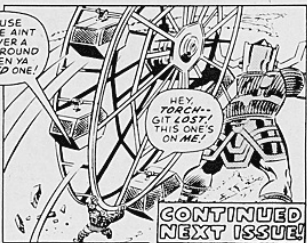
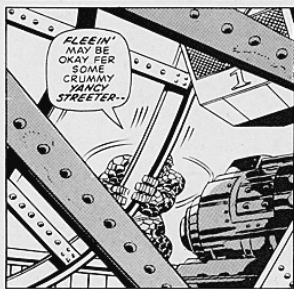
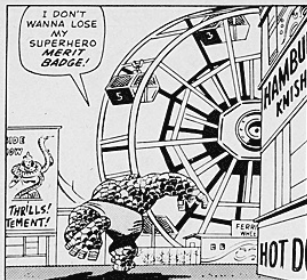
THE SURFER-- HE'S RETURNING!

GALACTUS! VENT YOUR WRATH ON ME-- NOT THEM!

REED! HE'S BACK!

THE SHIP? WHAT OF THE SHIP?

BETCHA HE BLEW IT!



IN THE NEXT TWO ISSUES
OF **FURY**

THERE ARE **£500** WORTH
OF PRIZES TO BE WON!
IN TWO EXCITING COMPETITIONS!

**THIS
WEEK**

WE'RE GIVING AWAY

**50 ACTION
man**

TOYS

**NEXT
WEEK**

25 AIRFIX STUKA KITS
MUST BE WON
PLUS

TEN COPIES OF
"HOW WEAPONS WORK"
A LAVISHLY
ILLUSTRATED BOOK
ABOUT THE MECHANICS
OF WAR - PUBLISHED BY
MARSHALL CAVENDISH



DON'T MISS THESE
TWO TREMENDOUS
COMPETITIONS
- PLACE A REGULAR
ORDER FOR FURY
NOW!

HOW
WEAPONS
WORK





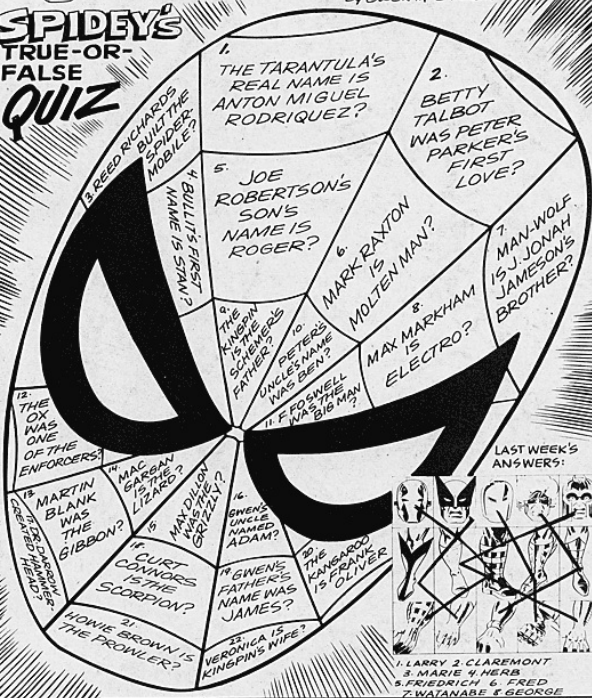
Stan Lee presents

**CAPTAIN
BRITAIN'S**

FUN PAGE

BY OWEN MCCARRON

SPIDEY'S TRUE-OR- FALSE QUIZ



LAST WEEK'S
ANSWERS:



1. LARRY 2. CLAREMONT
3. MARIE 4. HERB
5. FRIEDRICH 6. FRED
7. WATANABE & GEORGE

NICK FURY'S ARRIVAL AT A SCOTTISH CASTLE HAS TURNED OUT TO BE MORE THAN THE QUIET VISIT HE HAD EXPECTED! FOR ONE THING, THE FRIEND WHO HAD CALLED HIM THERE IS DEAD! FOR ANOTHER, HIS ALLEGED MURDERER HAS RETURNED!

STAN LEE, EDITOR
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THE HELL HOUND OF RAVENLOCK

SUDDENLY, FURY IS WITNESS TO A HEART-STOPPING VISION ACROSS THE MISTY EXpanse OF THE MOOR...LEAPING AS IF FROM HELL ITSELF, THE HULKING PHANTOM CHARGES TO CLAIM YET ANOTHER VICTIM OF THE ANCIENT CURSE, BRISTLING WITH LINEARTHLY VENGEANCE, GIANT SNAPPING JAWS ISSUING FORTH A MARROW-CHILLING SNARL FROM THE SATANIC DEPTHS OF ITS THROAT, LIKE THE WAIL OF A THOUSAND HELPLESS SOULS...WHILE THE INDESTRUCTIBLE AGENT

OF SHIELD RACES TO SAVE THE LIFE OF THE MYSTERIOUS SIGHTLESS GIRL NAMED RACHEL!





HIS JAWS...
BUSTIN'
THE BONES
IN MY ARM...

GOTTA
DO SOME
THIN'...
BEFORE
HE RIPS
MY
THROAT
OUT!

RAMPSON...HE'LL BE
KILLED! WE'VE GOT TO
HELP HIM...THAT...THAT
THING...FORCING HIM
TO THE GROUND!

NO...LOOK! HE'S
USING THE GUN!



WHAT THE...BLASTED
SLUGS DON'T STOP HIM!
THEY AIN'T EVEN SLOWIN'
HIM DOWN!

BUT THAT
CAN'T BE...
IT CAN'T
BE!



YEAH...HOW DO YA KILL
A GHOST? I'M FIRING
RIGHT THRU HIM...NOT
EVEN HURTIN' HIM!
HOW DO YA KILL A
GHOST? HOW...?

HOW?

HOW?



HE...HE'S SAVED
RACHEL...
BUT NOW...

LOOK, IT'S
ATTACKING...
AGAIN...

WE MUST HELP
HIM...WE MUST
DRIVE THE BEAST
OFF...

QUICKLY!
HIS LIFE
DEPENDS
ON IT!



THIS IS ALL YOUR
DOING, MYCROFT!
NONE OF THIS
WOULD HAVE
HAPPENED IF YOU
AND YOUR GHOST
CREW HAD STAYED
AWAY FROM RAVEN-
LOCK!

NOT NOW,
RAMPSON!
NOT NOW!



THE HELL-HOUND...IT'S GONE!
LIKE A SPECTRE...JUST VANISHED!

BUT...ARE WE IN
TIME? HE'S NOT MOVING
...COULD IT BE THAT...
I CHOKED!

GOOD LORD!
HIS HANDS...



FORGET IT... I'LL LIVE! JUST GOT THE WIND KNOCKED OUTTA ME!

GOTTA SEE IF THE GIRLS ALL RIGHT!
I'M... I'M FINE! JUST A LITTLE FRIGHTENED!

YOUR HANDS...

HERE... LET ME BANDAGE THEM!

IT'S JUST A SCRATCH! THING I CAN'T FIGURE IS...

HUH! WHAT'S THAT? LISTEN... SOMEONE CALLIN'! IT'S MYCROFT...

C'MON! LET'S MOVE, BEFORE SOMETHIN' ELSE HAPPENS!

HURRY... IT'S LORD GAVIN! HE MUST HAVE BEEN ON HIS WAY FROM THE VILLAGE WHEN THE HELL-HOUND FOUND HIM!

IT... IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S DEAD!

BUT WHY WAS HE ON THE MOOR? HE KNEW ABOUT THE CURSE!

HE DIED BECAUSE OF IT!

DID HE? WHAT MAKES YOU SO SURE?

I DON'T KNOW! AND NOW I SUPPOSE WE'LL NEVER FIND OUT WHY HE WAS HERE!

STILL, HE WAS ALISTAIR RAMPSON'S STEP-FATHER, POOR FELLOW!

THEY NEVER REALLY SAW EATH OTHER VERY MUCH, YOU KNOW!

NOW ALL OF RAVENLOCK WILL BE HIS... CASTLE AND CURSE!

IF ONLY... WHA... LOOK!!

IT'S ANGUS! WHAT'RE YOU DOING ON THE MOOR TONIGHT, MCGREGOR?

I HEARD TROUBLE, SIR... THE GUNSHOTS!

OR MAYBE YOU WERE WAITING OUT HERE FOR LORD RAVENLOCK... OR RACHEL!

HEY! WHAT WAS SHE DOING OUT HERE, ANYWAY?

BUT... I DON'T EXACTLY KNOW... LIKE... LIKE SOMETHING CALLING ME... AS THOUGH I'VE BEEN HERE BEFORE... LONG AGO! I... I CAN'T TELL YOU ANY MORE! P. PLEASE, DON'T ASK ME... PLEASE!

OKAY... TAKE IT EASY, MISS!

YOU CAN SEE... ALL OF YOU CAN SEE... EVERY LIVING THING CAN SEE... BUT ME!

WHY DID GOD GIVE ME EYES IF I CAN'T SEE?

YEAH! I DON'T HAVE THE ANSWER... WISHT I DID! C'MON... LET'S GO BACK!

SURE... TAKE IT EASY, MISS! HOW EASY IT IS TO SAY!

AH... WHAT'S THAT?

THEY CALLED IT THE TOWER OF TERROR! HAN'T BEEN USED FOR CENTURIES!

PRISONERS WERE KEPT THERE... UNTIL THEY WERE MADE TO TALK! IT'S FALLING APART NOW... LIKE A CRUMBLING MONUMENT TO ANOTHER ERA... A DEATH TRAP!

HMM! WHY DON'T YOU TAKE LORD GAVIN BACK TO THE CASTLE! I'LL BE ALONG SOON!

WAIT! LET ME STAY WITH YOU! PLEASE!

YOU MUST TRUST ME!



TAKE ME CLOSER TO THE TOWER! I CAN HELP YOU... THERE ARE THINGS I CAN... SEE THAT OTHERS CAN'T!

OKAY! BUT I DON'T...

YES...WE'RE GETTING CLOSE NOW...ALONG THIS WALL...THERE'S SOMETHING YOU'RE LOOKING FOR!

NOPE...NOTHIN' BUT AN OLD RING IN THE...HEY!!

IT'S PULLIN' OUT AN...HUH! THE WHOLE WALL...MOVIN' BACK!

CAREFULLY NOW...TAKE MY HAND...LEAD ME INSIDE!



SOMEHOW, I HAVE THE FEELING THAT YOU AND I HAVE A COMMON BOND!

SHE'S RIGHT! BUT HOW COULD SHE KNOW I LOST AN EYE DURIN' THE WAR?

DO YOU FEEL IT? THE PLACE HAS THE STENCH OF EVIL...AND DEATH!

WAIT!! I SENSE SOMETHING...

...THERE IS THE ANSWER

...YOU SEEK!

SORRY...BUT IT'S JUST AN IRON MAIDEN! BELONGS IN A MUSE...

HOLD ON...JUDGING BY THE MARKS ACROSS THE FLOOR, IT'S BEEN OPENED RECENTLY!

YEAH! SO WHAT...UNLESS SOME OF THESE SPIKES...

WHEEEWW! RIGHT ON THE NOSE, SWEET-HEART! A HIDDEN PANEL INSIDE...AN A FLIGHT A STAIRS LEADIN' DOWNWARDS!

GOT A HUNCH THIS IS IT! WAIT HERE FOR ME 'TIL I GET BACK! SEE YA SOON!



AND SO SAYING, NICK FURY VANISHES DOWN THE STEPS, LEAVING THE YOUNG SIGHTLESS GIRL ALONE AMONG THE COLD, CHILLING SHADOWS OF THE OLD TOWER...

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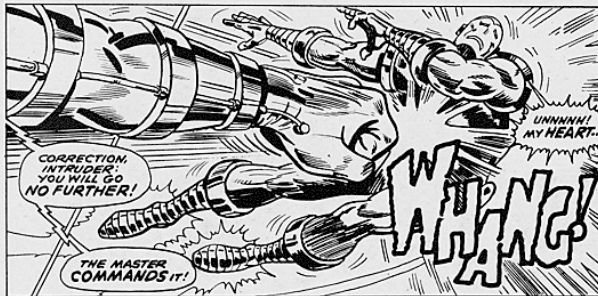
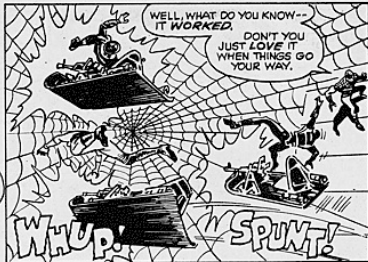
TOMORROW, TOMORROW, AND TOMORROW!

EVERYONE WONDERS WHAT TOMORROW MAY BRING--BUT MOST PEOPLE WILL NEVER KNOW, FOR IN A WAY, TOMORROW NEVER COMES! WHEN IT DOES ARRIVE, IT'S TODAY!

DON'T KNOW WHY NO ONE LIKES US, BUT NOW'S NO TIME TO ASK QUESTIONS!

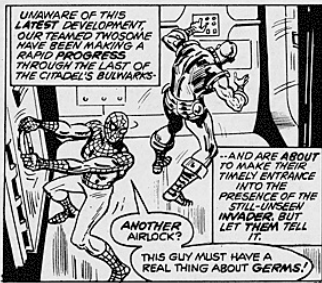
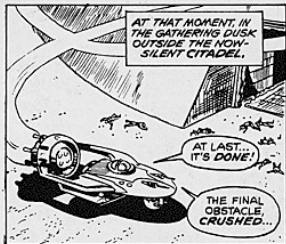
NOT SO FOR SPIDER-MAN AND IRON MAN--THEY ARE IN TOMORROW! THEY HAVE BEEN INEXPLICABLY DRAWN INTO THE 23RD CENTURY TO FIGHT A WAR THAT THEY KNOW NOTHING ABOUT! (NOR, FOR THE TIME BEING, DO WE!)

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